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REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.	198786US2 RE
First Named Inventor	Mitsuhiro YANO
Original Patent Number	5,945,692
Original Patent Issue Date	AUGUST 31, 1999
Title	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING SAME

APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:

☒ Utility Patent☐ Design Patent☐ Plant Patent

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, DC 202311. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☒ Specification and claims3. ☒ Drawing(s)4. ☒ Reissue Oath or Declaration

5. Original U.S. Patent

☒ Offer to surrender original patentor ☒ Ribboned Original Patent Grant☐ Affidavit / Declaration of Loss

6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?

☒ Yes☐ No

if yes, check applicable boxes

☒ Written Consent of all Assignees☒ 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement☐ Power of Attorney

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ Statement of status/support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).8. ☒ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations10. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration11. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment13. ☒ White Advance Serial No. Postcard14. ☒ Other: Application Data Sheet

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REISSUE APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Claims as filed - Part 1

Claims in Original Patent	For	Number Filed in Reissue Application	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
22	Total Claims	22	0	× \$18 =	\$0.00
2	Independent	2	0	× \$80 =	\$0.00
Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(h))					\$710.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Late Filing of Declaration					\$0.00
Total of above calculations					\$710.00
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**REISSUE APPLICATION
OFFER TO SURRENDER PATENT**

Docket Number

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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.

Name of Patentee(s)

Mitsuhiro YANO, et al.

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5,945,692

Date Patent Issued

AUGUST 31, 1999

Title of Invention

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING SAME

I am the inventor of the original patent.

I offer to surrender the original patent.

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☒ Filed herein is a certificate under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

☐ Ownership of the patent is in the inventor(s), and no assignment of the patent has been made.

The written consent of all assignees owning an undivided interest in the original patent is included in this application for reissue.

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The assignee owning an undivided interest in said original patent is: Mitsubishi Denki Kabushiki Kaisha and the assignee consents to the accompanying application for reissue.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Mitsuhiro YANO, et al.

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SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION

EXAMINER:

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING SAME

REQUEST FOR PRIORITY

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

- ☐ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application Serial Number, filed, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.
- ☐ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number, filed, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
- ☒ Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below.

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u>	<u>MONTH/DAY/YEAR</u>
JAPAN	6-118386 (P)	MAY 31, 1994

Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s)

- ☐ are submitted herewith
- ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee
- ☒ were filed in prior application Serial No. 08/432,812, filed May 2, 1995.
- ☐ were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number .
Receipt of the certified copies by the International Bureau in a timely manner under PCT Rule 17.1(a) has been acknowledged as evidenced by the attached PCT/IB/304.
- ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and
(B) Application Serial No.(s)
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